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NOVEL INVERSE LATICES  
SELF-INVERTIBLE WITH  
RESPECT TO FATTY ACID  
ESTERS, AND COSMETIC,  
DERMOCOSMETIC,  
DERMOPHARMACEUTICAL OR  
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS  
COMPRISING THEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231 .

Sir:

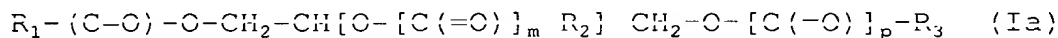
\_\_\_\_ Prior to calculation of the filing fee, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 5 as follows:

--5. (Amended) Composition as defined in claim

2, for which the constituent solvent of the oil phase of the inverse latex is a compound of formula (Ia):



corresponding to the formula (I) in which q and n are equal to 1, or a mixture of compounds of formulae (Ia).

Amend claim 9 as follows: